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Kazuyoshi Ichihara, et al. :  
Application No. 09/700,494 :  
Filed: November 16, 2000 :  
Attorney Docket No. P06939US00/BAS :

**ON PETITION**

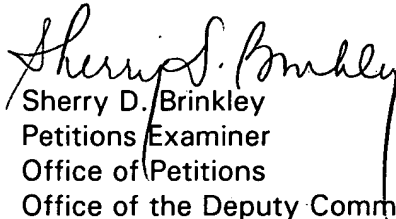
This is a decision on the petition, filed May 16, 2002, under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2), to withdraw the above-identified application from issue after payment of the issue fee.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application is withdrawn from issue for consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (request for continued examination). See 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2).

***Petitioner is advised that the issue fee paid March 29, 2002 in the above-identified application cannot be refunded. If, however, the above-identified application is again allowed, petitioner may request that it be applied towards the issue fee required by the new Notice of Allowance.***<sup>1</sup>

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 1623 for further processing of the request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114.

  
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<sup>1</sup>The request to apply the issue fee to the new Notice must be made in writing and should be accompanied by the new Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85(b), along with a copy of this decision. Additionally, if the issue fee has increased from the previously paid issue fee, the balance due must be submitted. Failure to timely request in writing that the previously paid issue fee be applied towards the new Notice and payment of any balance due will result in the abandonment of the application.



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Date : May 16, 2002

TO : Director, Office of Patent Publication

FROM : Office of the Deputy Commissioner  
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SUBJECT : Withdrawal from Issue of

Applicant(s) : KAZUYOSHI ICHIHARA, et al.  
Application No. : 09/700,494  
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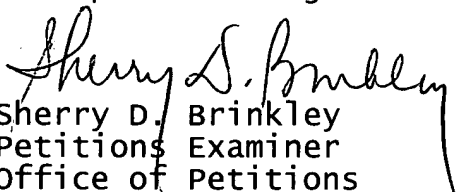
The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 6,395,929 and an issue date of May 28, 2002.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant.

Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of May 28, 2002:

"All reference to Patent No. 6,395,929 to KAZUYOSHI ICHIHARA, ET AL. of JAPAN for PROCESS FOR PRODUCING FLUOROALKYLCARBOXYLIC ACID appearing in the Official Gazette of May 28, 2002, should be deleted since no patent was granted."

  
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